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- On 16 April 1953, the Luftnachrichten Kaserne in Bernau was occupied by only a rear detail of soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery or signal insignia. On 15 April, 20 signal motor vehicles, 10 trucks, and about 200 troops wearing black-bordered black and red-bordered black epaulets, the latter with signal insignia, were entrained at the railroad station. During the night of 15 April, 4 M46 armored scout cars, 8 trucks; and 2 armored personnel carriers were being entrained. The trains were heading toward Eberswalde. On 16 April, the homing pigeons' station and the army clothing depot were occupied to capacity as previously.<sup>1</sup>

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1. Comment.

The information in this report fairly definitely indicates that the 33d Gds Sig Bn of the 6th Gds Mecz Div was entrained for the Templin troop training grounds on 15 April, whereas the unidentified AT artillery brigade of the Fourth Gds Mecz Army and the 120th (?) AAA Regt of the abovementioned division can be carried in their known quarters prior to 16 April. The bulk of the units of the division stationed in the Luftnachrichten Kaserne, at this date, apparently had already left for Templin.

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